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GERTRUDE AYRES BURCH WIFE OF CITY CLERK PASSES ON

After a long and useful life of Christian motherhood and of devotion and loving wifehood, Mrs. Gertrude Ayres Burch passed on to her Maker at her home, 219 East Cerritos avenue, at 8 o'clock a. m. last Monday morning. Relatives, friends and acquaintances mourn her passing, yet rejoice in the thought that a good and true spirit has entered that life that knows no death, no pain or suffering.

Mrs. Burch only lately returned to her home from an operation at the Tropico Hospital, undergone to relieve the intense suffering of several months' standing, apparently much improved. She took up her household duties again, but on last Wednesday she was taken suddenly ill and remained in a comatose state until Monday morning when she quietly went to sleep after regaining consciousness long enough to recognize members of her family who were gathered about her bedside.

Mrs. Gertrude Ayres Burch, nee Eliza M. Gertrude Ayres, was born to Ebenezer Davenport Ayres and Louisiana Ayres, nee Overall, at Fort Madison, Iowa, on December 22, 1837. She was the only daughter of a family of seven children. All except two of home survive her. Her eldest brother is Samuel A. Ayres of this city, who is hale and hearty in his eightieth year. The other brothers living are E. D. Ayres, Springfield, Mo., S. E. Ayres, Des Moines, Iowa, and M. O. Ayres of Nebraska.

Mrs. Burch was educated in the grammar schools of her native town and at a female seminary in Stubenville, Ohio. The earlier years after her school days were spent as a teacher.

July 7, 1859, she was united in marriage with Nelson C. Burch a rising young attorney at Alexandria, Mo. A home was made in Alexandria where the couple remained until February, 1861, when the clouds of the Civil war hovered over them. Breaking up the home the couple removed to Washington, D. C., where they remained until February, 1865, when they again established a home at Jefferson City, Mo., where they remained until 1887, when they removed to California, taking up their residence with the early settlers of Tropico, where she has seen a city grow up out of a berry patch in a comparatively few years.

Mrs. Burch leaves to mourn her passing the husband and helpmate of her youth and three of four children born to her. The youngest having died at the age of six years and to whose grave in the East she made a recent pilgrimage. Maud A. and Emmons O. Burch of Tropico, Mrs. Louis Wagner of Denver, Colo., besides six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at the Tropico Presbyterian Church Thursday afternoon at 2 p. m. Revs. Shumaker and Hatch officiating. Interment will be made at Grand View Cemetery. Scovern-Letton Frey Co. in charge.

Mrs. Burch embraced the Christian faith and became a member of the Presbyterian Church when she was 16 years old and had been a quiet and conscientious worker all her life.

Pall bearers are, John A. Logan, John Hobbs, M. Fry, S. E. Brown, B. W. Richardson and W. Bullis. Music by Mr. and Mrs. John Hobbs, Mrs. Stephenson and Mr. Fry.

Two homes, 114 East Tenth street and 112 East Acacia, were entered sometime between dark and 9 o'clock, by sneak thieves, last Sunday evening while both families were away. Watches, money and valuables were taken from both places. The police were notified and every measure is being taken to apprehend the criminals.

TROPICO LADY'S VISIT TO SAN DIEGO FAIR TOLD BY HERSELF

If I were not a Tropico booster I should be a San Diego booster, no, that is not correct, because I am a Tropico booster, therefore I am a San Diego booster. Sometimes I think that humanity is divided into two classes, those who boost and those who knock.

Further, it would be impossible to remain in San Diego for any length of time without being imbued with the spirit of optimism. Such a feeling of enthusiasm and unity of purpose permeates the very air you breathe. First, the city viewed from Point Loma, by day a cluster of beautiful buildings and by night a sparkling gem of electric lights.

Then from the bay itself on the left of Coronado, and on the right of Point Loma behind which sinks the sun in a blaze of glory, making a majestic silhouette of the massive headland with its burden of ancient theosophical temple and modern fort.

In the midst of the city rises the natural park—miles of road, round a succession of eminences, covered with trees and shrubbery, from the summits of which each vista of the sea seems more entrancing.

Within this park, approached over the Cabrillo bridge, whose tall arches span the green velvet of the canyon and are reflected in its little lake, lies the soul of San Diego. The highest expression of faith, ambition and achievement—the Exposition.

Not a world's fair like Chicago or St. Louis, but an industrial exposition, the beauty of which has never been surpassed.

A perfect gem is a term that has been applied to it and perfect it is in every detail.

Ever to be effaced is the memory of the ivory white buildings of old Spanish architecture, the red tile roofs, the balconies with their bright curtains of red and blue and yellow stripes hanging out over the rail—the massive tower of the Foreign and Domestic Arts and the gracefully climbing dome of the California building.

As though it had been there always, reposes the Plaza de Panama or main court. All of cement surrounded by the dream buildings—at one end the wonderful Spreckels organ. From one direction float the strains of La Paloma, played by the Exposition band, attired in old Spanish costume. Here and there stroll the guides in their light blue uniform of the Balboa guards. There is a whirl and from a tower alights a flock of pigeons. It is a beautiful sight and lends picturesqueness to the scene.

So glad was I to have had one rainy day in this beautiful spot.

The waxy leaves of the rubber plant and the scarlet of the poinsettia against the ivory of the buildings, the acacia lined avenues, the green lawns Montezumas made ravishing color washed brilliant in the glistening rain.

On a day like this, the Colonial tea room in the Indian Arts building seemed doubly cozy.

This room is furnished and operated by the D. A. R. of San Diego. There are sealed cases of wonderful old colonial clunia, a quaint spinnet, rugs and chairs, the seats of which were woven by the ladies themselves.

Here one may partake of tea, dainty sandwiches and Banbury tarts served in the pretty D. A. R. porcelain.

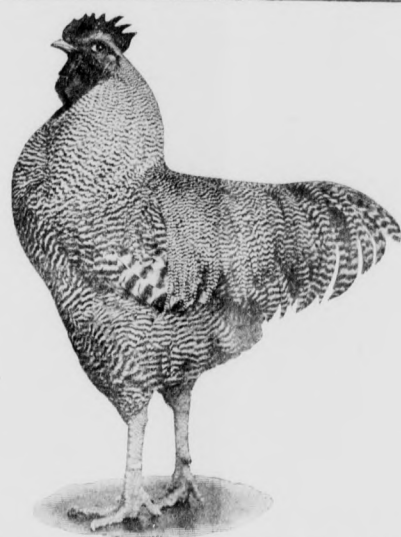
One of the delights of the Exposition is a visit to the Woman's Club rooms in the California building.

The walls and rugs of the large rooms are of sand color, the furnishings in persimmon red and black.

In a smaller room the furniture is rattan painted a brilliant blue with an accompaniment of marigold yellow. The scheme is daring, but altogether harmonious and pleasing.

In the Art section the paintings of Indian and Mexican types by Henri interested me—and Prof. Hewitt's

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Barred Plymouth Rock Cockerel owned by Mae W. Hobbs
First Prize, Tropico Poultry Show, Jan. 18-19-20, 1915
Best Bird in American Variety Class

BARRED ROCK POULTRY YARDS ARE OPEN TO VISITORS

The poultry industry of Tropico and surrounding territory is undergoing a big change and the outlook for the future is even greater than the past. Evidences of this are on every hand and just what the final outcome of the organization, the Glendale-Tropico Poultry and Pet Stock Association, will be is something for speculation. One thing we may depend upon and that is this: This locality is an ideal place for a vastly more dependable investment for both utility and show birds.

Some people have an idea that there is not much in the matter of selection, that to keep a few birds of a nondescript breed who can live upon the table scraps is all that is necessary and then wonder why they never get any eggs. Now this may be true in some instances where the possibility of selecting superior birds was rare, but it is an absolute truth that every point in the chicken industry depends upon having good presentable stock if you are intending to sell birds for fancy or even utility purposes. The generation of lives of fowls or animals is much more intricate than the production of vegetables and plans, but the same general laws apply. Dealing with a hen is like dealing with a complicated piece of machinery. Lack of this or an abundance of that kills or injures beyond repair. All the above points have been strictly adhered to by one of Tropico's breeders and a visit to the poultry yards of Mae W. Hobbs at 116 North Glendale avenue convinces even the amateur.

Mae W. Hobbs is a breeder of Barred Plymouth Rocks and there is no breeder in this section who can boast of having a better flock of Barred Rock pullets and cockerels who get growth and exercise in as finely an appointed yard as do her birds.

The buildings are up-to-date, finely arranged, roomy and a model of cleanliness, corrugated iron with cement floors under perches that are designed to prevent mites, etc., makes these shelters beyond reproach.

The Tropico show was the first exhibition of these birds and a reputation of First and Second cockerel, Second Cock, Second Pullet, Second and Third Pen, Third Hen, also winning prize for best bird shown in American variety class, puts the Mae W. Hobbs birds in the front rank of Barred Rock breeders.

Birds from this yard will undoubtedly head some of the best prize-winners next season and anyone desiring healthy and well-bred stock cannot go wrong by looking at these birds before final decision. Visitors are very cordially invited to visit the yards.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEET IN REGULAR WEEKLY SESSION

Meeting was called to order by S. E. Brown, acting for N. C. Burch. All members of the board were present. The minutes of the previous meeting were held over until next meeting.

A petition, signed by a majority of the property owners on Palmer avenue, for the improvement of that street. The matter was referred to the city engineer to prepare plans and specifications.

The city marshal was instructed to notify the Sunset Nursery to remove unsightly tin cans from their lot.

The health officer reported that a Chinese laundry had asked for time in which to move. Ninety days was granted them.

An application for a permit to conduct a dairy, signed by F. E. Simons, was ordered held up until proper facilities had been installed.

It was stated that a dumping ground could be used, owned by Tupper & Robinson, on East Acacia.

In the matter of extending and improving Acacia street it was ordered that the board reject all protests and proceed with the work, and the city attorney instructed to prepare the necessary ordinances.

A resolution, ordering certain work to be done on portions of Cypress and Boynton streets, was offered, and upon motion, was passed.

The city attorney was instructed to prepare resolutions of respect for Mrs. N. C. Burch.

The following demands were ordered paid:

H. P. Goodwin, \$140.
N. C. Burch, \$15.00.
Tropico Feed and Fuel Co., \$6.25.

Whereas, God in his wisdom has visited the home of our esteemed city clerk, Nelson C. Burch, and has taken his beloved wife, Gertrude Ayres Burch, to her reward, and

Whereas, this Board of Trustees and the entire city of Tropico extend the most heartfelt sympathy to the family of the deceased; now, there, be it

Resolved, That this resolution be spread upon the minutes of this Board and a copy forthwith transmitted to Mr. Burch as a token of sympathy in the loss sustained.

J. Herbert Smith has been appointed on the General Committee of the "Quality Grocery" Association. This association was established through the efforts of the Los Angeles Examiner and its members are grocers whose aim and purposes are to keep the business in their respective and immediate vicinity instead of driving it to the center of Los Angeles. Their hobby is quality groceries.

READ THIS ARTICLE THEN STOP SAYING THAT TROPICO IS DEAD

Confronted with the question: "Will New Business Blocks Be Built in Tropico Soon," those interested are unable to authentically state just what is going to be done, but reports are bound to get out and heresay does remark: "There are under way many thousands of dollars worth of new residences and business blocks in the confines of Tropico's city limits."

A report was circulated the first of the week that the First National Bank property had been sold and that immediate steps would be taken to build a new home. The real estate office at the intersection of Brand and San Fernando road was moved and it was stated that this tract would immediately be put in condition and offered for sale for business blocks. A rumor that a large baking concern had sent representatives to Tropico with a view of purchasing property upon which to erect a mammoth bakery. The report that a large mercantile establishment were negotiating for a site on Brand boulevard was neither affirmed or denied.

That a telephone exchange building is sought in Tropico is almost an as-sured. Plans for a store building and lodge rooms are already prepared. A moving picture building will be erected in the near future.

A drug store is possible. A garage and supply station on Brand boulevard is planned. The Thursday afternoon Club House will be located on the Stepper tract.

The improvement of Brand boulevard in the Atwater district to the river will be started very soon.

A committee is working to secure a bridge across the river at Ivanhoe, thereby making a shorter cut by road to Los Angeles. This will mean more travel through Tropico.

Still there are some people who have no confidence in the future of our city.

CITIZEN TALKS OF TROP- ICO AND ITS SUITORS

Tropico, the City Beautiful, the Gem of the Valley, situated so its charms fascinate all who are not blind, has at least two ardent suitors. It would have many more if they could get close enough to press their claims. But to both Los Angeles, magnificent and rich, and Glendale, presumptuous and ambitious, Tropico says, "No thank you." Not like the bachelor maid of traditions who said, "Anybody Lord." Tropico, young and vigorous, fully able to take care of itself, knowing its charms and prospects and fearing to flee to others of whom it knows too much, prefers rather to remain in "single blessedness" than to double up and, like so many foreign counts and no-counts, spend the remainder of life paying the accumulated indebtedness of the past.

No, Tropico is doing pretty well, thank you, with its smiling beauty, becoming raiment, genial climate, satisfied and enterprising citizens and prosperous outlook, this Gem of the Valley no doubt will be sought, but sought in vain, many years to come. Los Angeles is too much like a Mormon husband who never knows when he has enough and Glendale cannot support itself and is now being pressed for debts incurred by fast living, and so Tropico, coy and beautiful, prefers to be a self-supporting suffragette rather than to take the name, debts and character of either the elephant or the coyote.

CITIZEN.

Members of Chapter A. H. of P. E. O. Sisterhood attended a theater party at the Majestic last Saturday afternoon, witnessing the play "Bringing Up Father."

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS' OFFER RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

L. C. Haynes was initiated into the mysteries of the first or Page Rank of the lodge Monday evening. Dr. P. O. Lucas was voted in as a member of Visor lodge upon the presentation of credentials from a former lodge. The following resolution was offered:

TROPICO, Feb. 1, 1915.

To the Officers and Members

Visor Lodge No. 293.

Greeting:

Whereas, an All-Wise Providence has called from earth the beloved mother of our esteemed brother, Emmons Burch, and left him, his aged father and two sisters to mourn her passing at a ripe old age.

Therefore, be it resolved, That the members of Visor Lodge No. 293, K. of P., individually and as a lodge extend to Brother Burch, his father and two sisters our earnest and heartfelt sympathy and may the bitter sting of the death of his loved mother be softened by the thought that she is at rest and no more will her body be racked by the pain she has endured so patiently for so long a time.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to Brother Burch and to the Tropico Sentinel for publication and that they be spread upon the journal of this lodge.

A. M. WATSON, C. C.,
F. H. DAVIS, K. of R. S.

IOWANS WILL RALLY

The Great Mid-winter Picnic of The Iowa Association of Southern California.

It will be held in Eastlake Park, Los Angeles, all day, Monday, February 22nd, 1915. (If rainy that date or just before, it will be held Saturday, February 27th, or if still rainy, the 6th of March.)

This is a greeting and an invitation to all the Hawkeyes everywhere to join us in this jolly reunion. Come from where ever you are and meet the old friends once more. All the splendid popular features of these delightful gatherings will be carried out as far as possible.

Just count them up! All-day picnic, basket dinner at noon, short program, county registrations, college reunions and registrations from three to four o'clock, and the jolliest social time all day long with the old friends and neighbors. Every Iowan in Southern California is urged to register at the picnic or at the Iowa headquarters in Los Angeles, or to send name and address here as well as town and county in Iowa, to the Secretary, so he may enroll you. There will be thousands of our Iowans here to visit the Expositions and they will find you if you register.

As we cannot reach all the Hawkeyes, will you please pass this word along to every one you can and ask them to do the same in endless chain? We want to do all we can for our Iowa visitors and to be able to give them reliable information.

Yours very truly,
C. H. PARSONS, Secretary.

The Big Brother day of the Glendale Elks will be held on Saturday, February 30, instead of the 22nd as previously stated in these columns. On this day the school children of Tropico and Glendale will be the guests of the Elks at the Palace Grand Theater. Performance will begin at 1:30 and run until all have been entertained.

Each child will receive a pennant stating the day and donors. After the theater the children will be conducted to the Elks rooms where a reception will be held and refreshments served. Ample provision will be made for transportation and every child is invited to attend as are chap-erons, and a big time for the kiddies is expected.

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CHILLED SHOT

By WILLIAM C. ANDERSON

"Within ninety days, certainly before summer, 88,000 acres of fertile and highly developed land in the thickly populated territory comprising the San Fernando Valley will be part of the city of Los Angeles."

The above is from an interview given out by some one connected with the Los Angeles Annexation Committee. But, we might add to the above statement the following: "Not while we realize that annexation means confiscation by consent."

Annexation, so far as Tropico and a few other towns in San Fernando Valley are concerned, is not one of merit. The idea never came to life in the minds of those who have the interests of this valley in view.

When interests foreign to our own can enlist the services of politicians to come to us to glorify the merits of a proposition that has no merits, and offer advantages that their own municipality does not possess, we can feel that we are being put on the auction block to be sold to a life-long master and whipped with the rawhide of taxation.

Here are the reasons why we should never sign a petition for annexation—much less vote for it.

With a population of 500,000, Los Angeles has a public debt of \$26,000,000 or \$7.00 for every man, woman and child.

San Francisco, with a population of 650,000, has a public debt of \$34,000,000, or \$5.23 per capita.

Cincinnati is in about the same condition as San Francisco. About 3 cents per capita less.

Cleveland, with a population of 750,000, has a public debt of \$40,000,000, or \$5.33 per capita.

Pittsburgh, with a population of 650,000, has a public debt of \$32,000,000, or \$4.92 per capita.

St. Louis, with a population of 750,000, has a public debt of \$24,000,000, or \$4.92 per capita.

Toledo, with a population of 235,000, has a public debt of \$6,331,000, or \$2.70 per capita.

Washington, with a population of 335,000, has a public debt of \$9,000,000, or \$2.53 per capita.

Detroit, with a population of 600,000, has a public debt of \$9,000,000, or \$1.51 per capita.

Denver, with a population of 230,000, has a public debt of \$825,000, or 35 cents per capita.

Chicago, with her 2,500,000 people, has a debt of \$26,000,000, or 10 cents per capita.

It will be observed from the above figures, taken from the "Statistics of Cities in the United States," that the citizens of Tropico should consider the proposition of Annexation before signing petitions.

Further, looking with an eye to the future, the proposed "Subway Proposition," if carried, will increase the bonded indebtedness to about \$50,000,000, or \$10.00 per capita. Chicago, 10 cents; Los Angeles, \$10.00.

The best evidence that the people are terribly oppressed with assessments will be observed further:

On January 14, 296 parcels of land were sold for non-payment of assessments for the lowering of the grade of the Broadway tunnel. There were assessments delinquent on 2650 parcels, and the sale continued. Which proves that one cannot thrive under such a system unless one has a working capital far in excess of the amount invested in land.

Comment on who purchased the land is unnecessary. It is only necessary to observe that when you are taxed and assessed beyond your means that you must hypothecate what you have stored away or lose what property you have acquired. It is a hardship that works overtime on the man who owns, or is trying to own, a home, and puts him at the mercy of tax-title sharks.

Is it possible that Tropico will sign petitions (subpoenas for votes) to further an obligation of possibly 50,000,000 cast iron dollars with interest at the rate of 6 or 7 per cent, or \$3,000,000 per annum, and nothing to pay with except work unperformed that makes for calloused hands?

Judging from the result of the last election, the following conclusions may be derived:

Tropico wants to be left alone to develop her own great resources as her citizens see fit. She has room to expand and does not desire to contract, nor does she desire to lose control of her opportunities or become a minority stockholders in a greater political corporation. She wishes to retain both her individuality and her independence, and she does not feel inclined to submit those civic problems which concern her future developments, prosperity, contentment, and progress. She has no desire to share the burdens of a burdened people, but with an ever-growing faith in this southern land of warm hills, Tropico will whisper the "Call of the Valley" to the frozen coast of Maine, to the fever sloughs of Florida, to the crusted snows of Canada, and to wherever men dwell or to where ships sail. But she will never subscribe to the uncertainty of her future by annexation.

NEWS FROM TROPICO'S CHURCHES

"IF CHRIST CAME TO TROPICO"

Will be discussed by Dr. R. T. Smith at the First Methodist Episcopal church, Palmer and Central avenues, Sunday, Feb. 7th, 1915. The public is invited to come and hear what the speaker has to say, whether they agree or disagree. This is a free country. But say, friend, when were you at church last? Dr. Smith's theme in the morning will be "A Church on Wheels, Machinery that Moves Generally Has Wheels." He will talk about a mechanism with wheels at the feet and not in the head. Where are your wheels? Religious folks will find the class meeting after the morning sermon a delight. Rev. Henry Goodsell will be in charge. Two new classes have been organized in the Sunday School and two more are to be organized soon, one for men and one for mothers with babies. If the babies cry, so much the better. Noisy babies make good Methodists. Sunday School meets 9:45 a. m. Junior League meets at 2:30 p. m. A white flag will be given each Junior present next Sunday afternoon. Pork is coming down. The Epworth League meets 6:30 p. m. Two Gospel teams to help in the Brown and Curry meetings are to be organized then. The chorus choir is furnishing first-class music for our Sunday services; its rehearsals are Thursdays, 7:45 p. m. Musicians of Tropico and vicinity invited. Help your own town. "Go to church in Tropico."

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R. T. Smith, D.D., Pastor
Central Ave. and Palmer St.

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship and Sermon 11:00 a. m.

Epworth League 6:00 p. m.
Evangelistic Song Service and Service 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday evening, Home coming and Prayer Meeting. A cordial welcome and seats free at this aggressive, spiritual and homelike church.

TROPICO PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Central Avenue and Laurel St.

Sunday Services—

Bible School at 9:45 a. m.
Sermons at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Christian Endeavor Service 6:30 p. m.

To all a cordial welcome and seats free.

Wednesday evening Devotional and Social Hour at 7:30 p. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Glendale. Services in the Masonic Hall on Brand Boulevard. Sunday, 11 a. m.; Wednesday, 8 p. m. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Reading room, Parker & Sternberg Bldg., 415½ Brand Blvd., open daily from 12 to 4 p. m.

GARDENS OF COUNTY SOON TO BE JUDGED

School gardeners throughout the county will have to "perk up" in a hurry if they want to score a high mark in the 1915 cash prize contest. E. H. Lahee has been named as judge for the school districts in the county and will begin work at once.

Not only is the newly named judge to look over the gardens, but the county supervisors are going to make personal inspections to satisfy themselves that real work for the big prizes is being done.

The 1915 General Committee will urge that every municipality in the county be represented in the great floral parade planned for May 1. Chairman Motley H. Flint suggests that the floats be made so that they can be used on other occasions than the one, as it is probable that other big displays will be made during the year.

"It would be a pity," said Mr. Flint, "if any town or section of the country is not represented in this fiesta, which will be the greatest we have ever held. The occasion will offer one of the greatest opportunities for publicity the enterprising towns of Los Angeles county ever had had. It will be a splendid chance for each town to be represented at its best before the hundreds of thousands who will view the spectacle."

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TROPICO LIBRARY ADDS MANY NEW BOOKS

The following books have just been purchased by the Library Board and are now in circulation:

"The Grand Canyon From Wyoming to Mexico," by Kolb; "The Honorable Percival," by Alice H. Rice; "The Wall of Partition," by Florence Barclay; "The Hands of Esau," by Margaret Deland; "Innocent," by Marie Corelli; "Prince of Graustark," by McCutcheon; "Story of Marco," by Eleanor Porter; "Meeting of the Elsinore," by Jack London; "The Auction Block," by Rex Beach; "Patrol of the Sun Dance Trail," by Ralph Connor; "Perch of the Devil," by Gertrude Atherton; "The Sealed Valley," by Hubert Footner; "R. J.'s Mother," by Margaret Deland; "Indifference of Juliet," by Grace Richmond; "Much Ado About Peter," Jean Webster; "The Motor Maid," by The Williamsons; "Lonesome Land," by B. M. Bower; "Dons of the Old Pueblo," by Cooney (being a story of the early days of Los Angeles).

Juvenile.

"Buffalo Bill and Overland Trail," by Sabin; "Indian Tales for Little People," by Phillips; "Ruth Fielding" series (5 vols.), by Alice Emerson; "Young Missourian" series (3 vols.), by Byron A. Dunn; "The Golden Road," by Montgomery, author of "Ann of Green Gables."

For Very Little Folks.

"Dolly and Molly at the Circus;" "Little People's Fairy Box;" "Baby Polar Bear and the Walrus;" "Nanette and the Baby Monkey;" "Adventures of Robinson Crusoe."

The library is in receipt of the following bulletins from the extension division of the University of California:

Third series, Vol. VIII, No. 4, "Announcement of the Bureau of Correspondence Instruction;" Series IV, No. 3, "Debating and Debating Societies;" Series IV, No. 1, "Debating Material."

The University extension work has been greatly enlarged in its scope within the last year and, as at present organized, has two departments, that of instruction and that of public service. The former department has the following bureaus: 1—Bureau of Class Instruction; 2—Bureau of Correspondence Instruction; 3—Bureau of Lectures.

The department of public service has: 1—The Bureau of Public Discussion; 2—The Bureau of Information and Municipal Reference.

The courses offered by the Bureau of Correspondence Instruction covers a wide range of subjects, such as languages, literature, mathematics, music, drawing, education, political science, engineering, anthropology, geography, stenography and typewriting. Anyone interested can see the detailed announcement of courses at the library and the bulletins will be mailed to anyone upon request.

It is the desire of the managers of the extension department to have the co-operation of the libraries in helping to supply the necessary materials for correspondence courses. The fee charged for any one of these courses is the nominal one of \$5.

This must not be confused with the courses offered by the division of Agricultural education for which there is no charge whatever.

The library has also received the little wild flower circular from Theodore Payne, the specialist in California wild flowers, who talked to the school children in Glendale the other day under the auspices of the City Beautiful Association, with the idea of planting wild flower seeds to beautify the vacant lots; not a bad idea for Tropico also to follow up.

The Librarian has sent for a copy of Mr. Payne's little book, "The Wild Flowers of California."

No. 28460

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In and For the County of Los Angeles

In the Matter of the Estate of James Rich, deceased.

Notice of Hearing of Petition for Probate of Will

Notice is hereby given that the petition of Mary J. Rich for probate of will of James Rich, deceased, and for the issuance of letters testamentary thereon to John M. Rich, W. C. Seal and L. C. Haynes, will be heard at 9 o'clock a. m., on the 16th day of February, 1915, at the Court Room of Department 2 of the Superior Court of Los Angeles County, California.

Dated January 26th, 1915.

H. J. LELANDE, Clerk.
By H. H. DOYLE, Deputy Clerk.
Henry P. Goodwin, Attorney for Petitioner, 710 F. P. Fay Bldg., Los Angeles, Calif.

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Building Inspector Fairfield reports
two permits for electrical wiring.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. H. Hel-
man, 305 Poloma Ave., Jan. 27,
a 91-2 lb. boy.

Seems like there are lots of new
people moving to Tropico lately. Must
be some attraction here.

Mrs. Charles M. Turck is recover-
ing from a very severe illness at her
home on North Glendale avenue.

All grammar schools were closed
Wednesday afternoon on account
of "automobile racitis"

W. H. Weller of San Jose is a vis-
itor at the home of his sister, Mrs.
J. Herbert Smith.

Thursday evening is Grocers Night
at the Pure Food Show and Tropico
and Glendale grocers are planning to
attend.

Siman Berman, the Glendale tailor,
with his family, are moving into their
home on East Palmer avenue this
week.

Irving H. Oliver had been appointed
to fill the vacancy on the school
board occasioned by the death of
James Rich.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter L. Ferry are re-
joicing over the arrival of a son at
their home, 536 East Acacia street,
last evening.

Mrs. Berry has completed her bun-
galow on Mt. View avenue and is
now occupying the same. Mrs. Berry
is from Los Angeles.

Mrs. S. M. Street of Tropico and
Mrs. Harry Coleman of Pasadena
were elected members of the Tropico
Bridge and Luncheon club.

Grammar School Graduation
Exercises were held at the Cerritos
Ave. School last Friday evening.
County Supt. Keppel addressed
the class and awarded diplomas.
Music was furnished by the Glee
Club orchestra.

Davenport & Peters report the sale
to San Francisco parties of 133 feet
facing on Glendale avenue, and 198
on Cypress street. Mr. Van Wort and
family of Los Angeles have leased
this property and are now occupying
the same. Mr. Van Wort is connected
with the Sunset Telephone Co.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian
church will serve that Jitney dinner
this Friday eve, Feb. 5th, from 5:30 to
8 o'clock. They promise you plenty
of good things to eat and prices rea-
sonable; served cafeteria, not over
five cents charged for any one dish.
Come and bring your friends.

J. Herbert Smith and wife returned
last Saturday evening from a two
weeks' visit in the San Jacinto val-
ley region. Mr. and Mrs. Smith re-
port having had a most enjoyable
time, but count themselves lucky in
having returned when they did.
Washouts along the line were frequent
and delays and changes numerous.

John J. Graf, general manager of
the Sespe Consolidated Oil Co., who
returned from Mexico several days
ago, where he had been purchasing
land for the company, left for this
section again last week to locate
boundary lines. The company owns
now some 50,000 acres in Mexico be-
sides other holdings. Several Tropico
men are interested in this company.

Marshal Gould took in charge a
young, well dressed woman last
Tuesday afternoon who was wand-
ering around the streets in a dazed
condition. He notified the sheriff's
office who sent a matron out and
the unfortunate woman was taken
to the city. She stated that she
had been kidnapped in Los Ange-
les by an unknown man who had
forced her to drink something that
had deprived her of her reasoning
faculties, that he had brought her
to Tropico and deserted her while
at dinner in a restaurant.

Last week the final contract was
signed by the Library Association for
the lot on the northeast corner of
Walnut and Cypress in the Stepper
tract. The Thursday Afternoon Club
will erect their club house on this lot.
There will be a directors meeting of
the Thursday Afternoon Club on
Thursday, at 1:30, at the home of
Mrs. Charles Barker on Glendale Ave.

Did you purchase a sacred Mexican
Lilly? If not, you did not get stung.
A smooth talker has been operating in
Tropico for several days selling what
he calls a sacred Mexican Lilly, a very
rare plant and very cheap. There is
no sacred Mexican Lilly, and the man
is an imposter. It is the duty of every
citizen to report immediately to the
police any such solicitors. All ped-
dlers and solicitors require a license,
and you are detailed to demand such
from every one who calls offering
something for sale. Call the police
unless you are sure.

SEASON'S RAINFALL

Taken from Southern Pacific
Railway's report of rainfall

October38 in.
November23 in.
December	4.11 in.
January	4.89 in.
For storm88 in.

Total to date	10.49 in.
Total to date last season	15.59 in.

The February 4th meeting of the
Thursday Afternoon Club will be held
at the home of Mrs. Frank B. McKen-
ney, 131 East Eulalia street. There
will be a talk by Mrs. Frank Stod-
dard on "The Unmarried Mother and
Her Child." The hostesses are Mes-
dames Frank B. McKenney, D. H.
Smith, O. Earl Iemans, J. Herbert
Smith and E. K. Barnes.

Seats are now on sale at the
Morosco Theater in Los Angeles, on
Broadway, near Eighth, for the open-
ing performance of the opening week.
The G. M. Anderson Players, with
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tiful and famous musical comedy, "The
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ity ever assembled in the United
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RESOLUTION NO. 195

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD
OF TRUSTEES OF THE CITY OF
TROPICO, ORDERING CERTAIN
STREET WORK TO BE DONE ON
PORTIONS OF CYPRESS STREET
AND BOYNTON STREET IN THE
CITY OF TROPICO.

The Board of Trustees of the City
of Tropico do resolve as follows:

SECTION 1. That the street work
herein described is required by the
public interest and convenience, and
the Board of Trustees of the City of
Tropico, State of California, hereby
orders to be done the work on a por-
tion of Cypress Street and Boynton
Street in said City, described in Reso-
lution of Intention Number 191, to
which said Resolution reference is
hereby made for a description of said
work.

SECTION 2. The Board of Trust-
ees of the City of Tropico determines
that serial bonds shall be issued to
represent assessments of twenty-five
dollars (\$25.00) or over for the cost of
said work or improvement; said serial
bonds shall extend over a period ending
nine (9) years from and after the
second day of January next succeeding
the date of said bonds, and an even
annual proportion of the principal sum
thereof shall be payable by coupon
on the second day of January every
year after their date until the whole
is paid; and the interest shall be pay-
able semi-annually, by coupon, on the
second day of January and July, re-
spectively, of each year, at the rate of
seven (7) per cent. per annum on all
sums unpaid, until the whole of said
principal and interest are paid. Said
bonds shall be issued in accordance
with the provisions of an Act of the
Legislature of the State of California,
entitled "An Act to provide a system
of street improvement bonds to rep-
resent certain assessments for the cost
of street work and improvements
within municipalities, and also for the
payment of such bonds," approved
February 27, 1893, and of all acts sup-
plementary thereto and amendatory
thereof.

SECTION 3. The Tropico Inter-Ur-
ban Sentinel, a weekly newspaper of
general circulation, published and cir-
culated in said City of Tropico, is here-
by designated, as the newspaper in
which this Resolution and notice of
said street work inviting sealed propo-
sals shall be published in the man-
ner and form and by the persons re-
quired by law.

SECTION 4. The City Clerk of the
City of Tropico is hereby directed to
post conspicuously for five days on or
near the chamber door of the Board
of Trustees, in the manner and form
required by law, a notice with Specifi-
cations, inviting sealed proposals or
bids for doing said work; and said
City Clerk is hereby directed to pub-
lish for two days in said newspaper
hereby designated for that purpose, as
aforesaid, in the manner and in the
form required by law, a notice of said
work inviting sealed proposals or bids
for doing said work, and referring to
the Specifications posted or on file.

Said notice shall require a certified
check or bond, either, as prescribed
by law, and for an amount not less
than ten per cent. of the aggregate
of the proposal. Said City Clerk is
also hereby directed to publish this
Resolution for two days, in the man-
ner required by law, in said newspa-
per designated for that purpose as
aforesaid.

Adopted and approved this 2nd day
of February, 1915.

(Seal)

D. WEBSTER,

President of the Board of Trustees
of the City of Tropico.

Attest:

NELSON C. BURCH,

City Clerk of the City of Tropico.

State of California, City of Tropico, ss.

I, Nelson C. Burch, City Clerk of the
City of Tropico, do hereby certify that
the foregoing Resolution was duly
passed by the Board of Trustees of the
City of Tropico, State of California,
and signed by the President of said
Board at a regular meeting thereof,
held on the 2nd day of February, 1915.

AYES: Trustees Alsapach, Boyce,
Conrad, Henry, and Webster.

NOES: None.

ABSENT: None.

NELSON C. BURCH,

City Clerk of the City of Tropico.

HOW TO BE HEALTHY, WEALTHY AND WISE.

Don't fail to think out your ex-
penditures and to keep inside
the limit you fix.
Don't be ashamed to save pen-
nies; otherwise you are "easy
prey."
Don't add to delivery expenses
by ordering at the last moment.
Keep ahead of actual needs.
Don't buy vegetables out of
season and expect low prices.
Don't think spendthrifts need
to be capitalists. One can be a
spendthrift with a dollar as well
as with large sums.
Don't let false pride cost you
money. There is no happiness
in it.
Don't feel too sure you are
getting the most possible out of
your expenditures. Learn what
"hard pan" really is.
Don't forget that peace of
mind is better than things you
can't afford.
Don't forget, either, that you
always can afford courtesy, kind-
ness and a smile.



RATE INCREASE NECESSARY

FARMERS' UNION OFFICIALS
THINK RAILROADS ARE EN-
TITLED TO MORE REVENUE.

Products of Plow and Farmer Who
Lives at Home Should Be
Exempt From Increase.

By Peter Radford,
Lecturer National Farmers' Union.

The recent action of the Interstate
Commerce Commission in granting an
increase in freight rates in the eastern
classification of territory; the applica-
tion of the roads to state and inter-
state commissions for an increase in
rates, and the utterances of President
Wilson on the subject bring the farm-
ers of this nation face to face with the
problem of an increase in freight
rates. It is the policy of the Farmers'
Union to meet the issues affecting the
welfare of the farmers squarely and
we will do so in this instance.

The transportation facilities of the
United States are inadequate to ef-
fectively meet the demands of com-
merce and particularly in the South
and West additional railway mileage
is needed to accommodate the move-
ment of farm products. If in the wis-
dom of our Railroad Commissions an
increase in freight rates is necessary
to bring about an improvement in our
transportation service, and an exten-
sion of our mileage, then an increase
should be granted, and the farmer is
willing to share such proportion of
the increase as justly belongs to him,
but we have some suggestions to make
as to the manner in which this in-
crease shall be levied.

Rates Follow Lines of Least Resist-
ance.

The freight rates of the nation have
been built up along lines of least re-
sistance. The merchant, the manu-
facturer, the miner, the miller, the
lumberman and the cattleman have
had their traffic bureaus thoroughly
organized and in many instances they
have pursued the railroad without
mercy and with the power of organ-
ized tonnage they have hammered the
life out of the rates and with unre-
strained greed they have eaten the
vitals out of our transportation system
and since we have had railroad com-
missions, these interests, with skill
and cunning, are represented at every
hearing in which their business is
involved.

The farmer is seldom represented
at rate hearings, as his organizations
have never had the finances to em-
ploy counsel to develop his side of
the case and, as a result, the products
of the plow bear an unequal burden
of the freight expense. A glance at
the freight tariffs abundantly proves
this assertion. Cotton, the leading
agricultural product of the South, al-
ready bears the highest freight rate of
any necessary commodity in com-
merce, and the rate on agricultural
products as a whole is out of pro-
portion with that of the products of
the factory and the mine.

We offer no schedule of rates, but
hope the commission will be able to
give the railroad such an increase in
rates as is necessary without levying
a further toll upon the products of
the plow. The instance seems to pre-
sent an opportunity to the Railroad
Commissions to equalize the rates as
between agricultural and other classes
of freight without disturbing the rates
on staple farm products.

What Is a Fair Rate?

We do not know what constitutes a
basis for rate making and have never
heard of anyone who did claim to
know much about it, but if the pros-
perity of the farm is a factor to be
considered and the railroad commis-
sion concludes that an increase in
rates is necessary, we would prefer
that it come to us through articles of
consumption on their journey from
the factory to the farm. We would,
for example, prefer that the rate on
hogs remain as at present and the
rate on meat bear the increase, for
any farmer can then avoid the burden
by raising his own meat, and a farm-
er who will not try to raise his own
meat ought to be penalized. We
think the rate on coal and brick can
much better bear an increase than
the rate on cotton and flour. We
would prefer that the rate on plows
remain the same, and machinery,
pianos and such articles as the poor
farmer cannot hope to possess bear
the burden of increase.

The increase in rates should be so
arranged that the farmer who lives
at home will bear no part of the bur-
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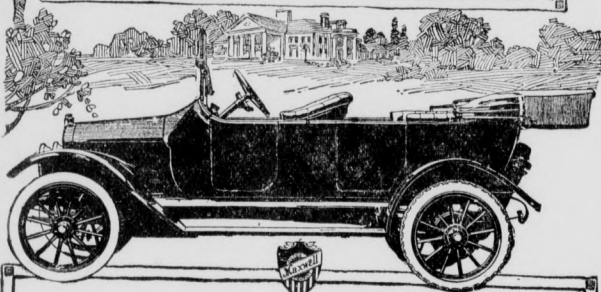
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NOTICE INVITING STREET WORK PROPOSALS

Pursuant to statute and to Resolution No. 195, of the Board of Trustees, of the City of Tropic, California, adopted this 2nd day of February, 1915, directing this notice, the undersigned invites and will receive at his office in the City Hall of the City of Tropic, located at the corner of Brand Boulevard and Tropic Avenue, up to 7 P. M., February 16th, 1915, sealed proposals or bids for the following street work to be done in accordance with the plans and specifications posted and on file therefore adopted, or herein mentioned, to-wit:

FIRST: That the roadway of Cypress Street from the southerly prolongation of the easterly line of Mountain Avenue, to the easterly termination of Cypress Street, and the roadway of Boynton Street from the northerly line of Cypress Street to a point seven hundred and five (705) feet northerly from said line, including all street and alley intersections, be graded and paved with three inch in thickness of broken stone and oil macadam, in accordance with Plan No. 57, Profile No. 57 and Cross-sections No. 57, and in further accordance with Special Specifications for improving portions of Cypress Street and Boynton Street, in the City of Tropic, which said specifications were duly adopted for said work by resolution No. 190 of the Board of Trustees of said City.

SECOND: That a cement curb be constructed along each side of the roadway of Cypress Street from the southerly prolongation of the easterly line of Mountain Avenue to the easterly termination of Cypress Street, and on each side of the roadway of Boynton Street from the northerly line of Cypress Street to a point seven hundred and five (705) feet northerly from said line, (excepting along such portions of said roadways upon which a cement curb has already been constructed, and now is, to the official line and grade and of a size and quality as described in the hereafter named Special Specifications, and excepting along such portions of said roadways to be occupied by the hereinafter described bridges, which are to be placed at the point and in the position as shown on plans Nos. 57 and 58). All curbs shall be constructed in accordance with Plan No. 57, Cross Section No. 57 and Profile No. 57 and in further accordance with Special Specifications for the improvement of portions of Cypress Street and Boynton Street, in the City of Tropic, which said Special Specifications were duly adopted for said work by resolution No. 190 of the Board of Trustees in the City of Tropic.

THIRD: That a cement sidewalk five (5) feet in width be constructed along both side lines of Cypress Street from the southerly prolongation of the easterly line of Mountain Avenue to the easterly termination of Cypress Street, and on both sides of the roadway of Boynton Street from the northerly line of Cypress Street to a point seven hundred and five (705) feet northerly from said line, (excepting therefrom those portions of the roadway upon which a cement sidewalk has already been constructed and now is to the official line and grade, and excepting along such portions of the roadway to be occupied by the hereinafter described bridges which are to be placed at the point and in the position as shown on plans No. 57 and 58) all sidewalks shall be constructed in accordance with plan No. 57, Cross Section No. 57 and Profile No. 57, and in further accordance with Special Specifications for the improvement of portions of Cypress Street and Boynton Street, in the City of Tropic, which said Special Specifications were duly adopted for said work by Resolution No. 190 of the Board of Trustees of the City of Tropic.

FOURTH: That wood and concrete bridges be constructed at the intersection of Cypress Street and the Sycamore Canyon Wash, and at the intersection of Boynton Street and the Sycamore Canyon Wash. Said bridges to be constructed between the points and on the lines and grades and with the appurtenances designated thereon on Plans No. 57 and 58, Profile No. 57, and in further accordance with Special Specifications for the improvement of portions of Cypress Street and Boynton Street, in the City of Tropic, which said Special Specifications were duly adopted for said work by Resolution No. 190 of the Board of Trustees of the City of Tropic.

II.

That the said contemplated work or improvement, in the opinion of the said Board of Trustees, is of more than local or ordinary public benefit, and said Board of Trustees hereby declares that the district in the said City of Tropic benefited by said work or improvement, and to be assessed to pay the costs and expenses thereof, is described as follows:

All that portion of the City of Tropic, included within the following described exterior boundary line, to-wit:

Beginning at a point which is the intersection of the northerly line of Lot No. 40 of Watt Subdivision as recorded in Miscellaneous Records, Book 5, Page 200, Records of Los Angeles County, with the southerly line of Lot No. 41 of the above named Watt Subdivision, and the westerly line of Lot No. 42 of the above named Subdivision, thence westerly to the southwest corner of Block A of Heide-Boynton Tract, as recorded on Map of Book 12, Page 80, of records of Los Angeles County, thence westerly and northwesterly along the southerly line of Block B of the above named Heide-Boynton Tract to the southwest corner thereof, thence northwesterly along the southerly line of Tract No. 73, as recorded on Map in Books 13, Page 130 of Records of Los Angeles County, to the southwest corner thereof, which is also a point on the easterly line of Glendale Avenue, thence northerly along the easterly line of Glendale Avenue to the northwest corner of Tract No. 282, as recorded on Map in

Book 14, Pages 116 and 119, of Records of Los Angeles County, thence easterly along the northerly line of said Tract No. 282 to the northeast corner thereof, thence northerly along the westerly line of Heide-Boynton Tract, as recorded on Map in Book 12, Page 80, of Records of Los Angeles County, to the northwest corner thereof, which is also a point on the southerly line of Moore Avenue, thence easterly along the southerly line of Moore Avenue to a point which is 236.28 feet easterly from the northeast corner of the aforesaid Heide-Boynton Tract, thence southerly in a straight line to the point of beginning, (excepting therefrom any portion of any public street or alley, which may be included within the above described assessment district, all as shown on Map No. 56, approved by the Board of Trustees of said City on the 8th day of December, 1914, and on file in the office of the City Engineer of said City, to which map reference is hereby made for a more complete and detailed description of said district. All references in said description are made to records of Los Angeles County, California).

III.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Tropic determines that serial bonds shall be issued to represent assessments of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00- or over for the cost of said work or improvement said serial bonds shall extend over a period ending nine (9) years from and after the second day of January next succeeding the date of said bonds, and an even annual proportion of the principal sum thereof shall be payable, by coupon, on the second day of January every year after their date until the whole is paid; and the interest shall be payable semi-annually, by coupon, on the second days of January and July, respectively, of each year, at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum on all sums unpaid, until the whole of said principal and interest are paid. Said bonds shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An Act to provide a system of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost of street work and improvement within municipalities, and also for the payment of such bonds," approved February 17, 1893, and of all acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

Bidders must file with each proposal or bid a check, payable to the order of the President of the Board of Trustees, of the City of Tropic, certified by a responsible bank for an amount which shall not be less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the proposal or a bond of the said amount and so payable signed by the bidder and two sureties who shall justify before any officer competent to administer oaths in double the said amount and over and above all statutory exemptions. In bidding, use blanks which will be furnished by the City Clerk on application.

Dated this 2nd day of February, 1915, in the City of Tropic, California.

NELSON C. BURCH,
City Clerk of the City of Tropic.

SAN DIEGO VISITOR

(Continued from page 1.)

wonderful archaeological exhibit merits more study than I had the opportunity to give it. Here we find the busts depicting the development of man. The originals of these have been destroyed and Hedlicka, the sculptor who made these copies, has gone back to fight for his country and nothing has been heard of him.

We had a table at the Cafe Cristobal on the day the San Francisco Boosters dined there. In they came, one hundred strong, the orchestra playing "I Love You California." When they left for San Francisco they had become one hundred walking advertisements for the San Diego Exposition.

The joys of the Isthmus are too many to enumerate—every concession first-class.

The reproduction of the Para Gem mine, the Hawaiian and Indian villages, the government Panama exhibition, Climbing the Yelps and many others.

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Say, it's next to owning a Ford! You pay your money, ascend your throne, grasp the rod of power, and as a grand climax to your visit at the Exposition, all eyes upon you, you make a broad sweep, find that you have miscalculated your distance and bump ignominiously into the curb.

MARY WESTON SEAMAN.

No. 28525

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES.

Notice of Hearing of Petition for Probate of Will

In the Matter of the Estate of H. B. Burbank, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the petition of Abbie A. Burbank for the probate of the Will of H. B. Burbank, deceased, and for the issuance of Letters Testamentary thereon to Abbie A. Burbank, will be heard at 9 o'clock A. M. on the 1st day of March, 1915, at the Court Room of Department 2 of the Superior Court of Los Angeles County, California.

Dated February 2, 1915.

H. J. LELANDE, Clerk.
By H. H. Doyle, Deputy Clerk.
N. C. BURCH, Tropic, Cal., Attorney for Petitioner.

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